

Please do not erode the protections of the Wisconsin Do-Not-Call List. We would literally get three to five calls every evening up to 10:00 p.m. from telemarketers. Prior to listing my retired parents on Wisconsin's List, they would be inundated with calls every single day. They consider Wisconsin's Do-Not-Call List a blessing -- it has stopped all of those calls in their tracks. If anything, I believe that the National Do-Not-Call List should follow Wisconsin's--it works!

If this legislation passes and Banks and their affiliates start calling, I can tell you that I'll sever all ties with such a bank. If they want me to review their products, literature may be sent in the mail that I can review at my leisure. The solicitations can include a place where I can request one of their agents to call me if I am interested in their product. Just because I've had dealings with a bank, does not mean that I want to hear from them and every affiliate they have for 18 (long) months. Institutions must not understand just how offensive most consumers find telephone solicitations -- my policy is that I buy ABSOLUTELY NOTHING from a telephone solicitation.